

Interview Summary	Application No. 09/995,857	Applicant(s) OOISHI ET AL.	
	Examiner Steven P. Griffin	Art Unit 1731	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Steven P. Griffin. (3) _____.

(2) Mr. Codd. (4) _____.

Date of Interview: 14 April 2004.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: n/a.

Identification of prior art discussed: n/a.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Mr. Codd requested reconsideration of the refusal to consider the IDS filed 1/21/04 - Mr. Codd further indicated that in view of the date on the European Search Report included as part of the IDS that it is clear that the IDS was filed within 3 months of receipt of the report from the EPO. Mr. Griffin indicated that he would consider the IDS filed but in the future Mr. Codd should use the certification wording provided in MPEP 609.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.



Examiner's signature, if required